WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1878.

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AUCTION SALES.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.

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PUBLIC SALE OF A LARGE LOT OF
SALT FISH.

On SATURDAY, the 30th day of March,
1878, at 12½ o'clock p. m., I will sell by public
auction my ENTIRE STOCK OF SALT
FISH, at No. — King street, between Union st.
and the wharf, Alexandria, Va., consisting in
part of Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, in barrels and
kits; about 50 bbls of shore packed Potomac
Family Herring; 20 packages of Mess Potomac
Shad, and a large lot of Eastern Herring of different kinds; also a lot of Scotch Herring in ferent kinds; also a lot of Scotch Herring in

boxes. Terms at sale. S J. REED.

POR SALE-On SATURDAY, March 30, 1878, at Drovers' Hotel. West End, the FARM OF THOS. E. COWLING, adjoining the lands of George Auld and Doctor W. B. Gregory, containing TWENTY-EIGHT W. B. Gregory, containing TWENTY-EIGHT ACRES, more or less, and improved by a TWO STORY FRAMED HOUSE and out buildings, and a young orchard, will be sold by public suction, for eash, to satisfy claims in my hands in favor of R. D. Catts, Cowling & Bro., George Auld and others.

JOHN H. SARTIN,

Constable Fairfax County.

By order of the County Court of Fairfax.

OMMISSIONERS' SALE OF LAND NEAR GREAT FALLS—Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county in the suit of Coleman vs. Jackson, entered at June term. 1876, the undersigned, commissioners named in said decree, will, on MONDAY, the 15th day of April, 1878, at 1 o'clock p. m., (Court day) sell to the highest bidder, the TWO LOTS OR PARCELS OF LAND allotted to E. M. Jackson in the division of his parents. ted to E. M. Jackson in the division of his parents' real estate, containing respectively 39 acres and 11 acres, the former cleared, the latter in timber. On the larger tract there is a barn, fencing, &c. This land lies near the village of Springvale, and adjoins the lands of Cornell and others. and others.

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will defray the expenses of sale and pay the costs of suit, and the residue in three equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security, and retention of title until the last payment is made.

R. H. COCKERILLE,
THOS. MOORE,

of excellent quality. By consent this farm may be subdivided to suit purchasers. It offers a rare opportunity for a safe and profitable investment. Terms of Sale: One third of the purchase money in hand; the residue in two equal annual payments, to boar interest from the day of sale,

THOS. R. LOVE, THOMAS MOORE, mh 15-w4w

and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser,

and retention of the title until the last payment

died seized, containing 87½ acres. This land is a part of the real estate of which the late Gabriel Fox died seized; lies near Fox's old mill, now Woples'; is well wooded, and the land under cultivation susceptible of ready improvement.

Terms of Sale: So much cash is hand as will be required to pay the events of sale and the farm contains 46 103.1 Observed and is known as be required to pay the expenses of sale, and the residue on a credit of one, two and three years, in equal instalments; to bear interest from the the day of sale; to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser with good personal security, and a retention of the title until the last payment is THOMAS MOORE,

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF FAIRFAX LAND.

By virtue of a deed of trust from C. P. Terrett and others to the undersigned, bearing date the 16th day of January. 1877, and of record on the land records of Fairfax county, liber U, No. 4, folio 350, and by direction of the party by said trust secured, I shall sell to the highest bidder, by public sale, before the door of Fairfax County Court House, on MONDAY, (Court day) the 15th of April, 1878, ALL THE IN-TEREST of M. A. C. Terrett, widow of the late Calville Terrett (dower) and the undivided reversionary interest (being one half) in and to that TRACT OF LAND of which the late Calville Terrett died seized, containing 99 acres. This land lies near Barcroft's Mill, and immediately on the Gravel road, adjoining Camp and

Terms of Sale: So much cash in hand as will defray the expenses of sale; also in cash the sum of six hundred and sixty dollars and the accumulated interest thereon from the 16th day of January, 1877, and the residue in one and two years, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by a lien on the property sold. mh 16-w4w THOS. MOORE, Trustee.

By Green & Wise,

Real Estato Agents and Auctioneers.]

PYVIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST

Key, his wife, dated May 24th, 1870, recorded in liber A, No. 4, folio 214, Alexandria county Va., land records, the subscriber, as trustee, will offer for sale by public auction, on TUESDAY the 2d day of April, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fair fax street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described property, to wit:
A TRACT OF LAND in Alexandria county,

Virginia, situated and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake in Wm. Minor's line; thence north 69 degrees 10 minutes, east 178 perches to a stake and pile of stones in J. P. Van Ness' line; thence with Van Ness' line south 35 degrees 30 minutes, east 35 8-100 perches to a stake and pile of stones in said line; thence leaving said line south 66 degrees 45 minutes, west 166 poles to a stake in Miss Elizs Somers' line: thence with said Somers' line north 47 degrees 45 minutes, west 45 7-100 perches to the begin-

ning, containing 401 acres. Terms of Sale: One third cash; the residue in 3,6 and 12 months, with interest from day of sale. mh 4-2aw4w C. V. N. CALLAN, Trustee.

TAGE', adjoining the village, and at present occupied by H. C. Fairfax and James M. Love, esqs. This property embraces a lot of fifteen acres of highly improved land, having thereon a large FRAME DWELLING, containing twenty odd rooms, besides basements, closets, pantries and collars, a well of excellent water near the kitchen door, lawn beautifully shaded, thirfty apple orchard, and excellent garden, rendering this one of the finest chances for open-

meet the expenses of sale; also the sum of \$1225, ruary 9, 1869, numbered 86,635, and by the said cash; the residue in two equal annual payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be mh 15 w4w THOMAS MOORE, Trustee.

AUCTION SALES.

By Harrison & O'Neal, Auctioneers. SALE OF HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN
FURNITURE—Will be sold at No. 109
Cameron street, on FRIDAY, March 29th, at 10 Cameron street, on FRIDAY, March 23th, at 10 o'clock a. m., a lot of HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE, consisting of Tables, Chairs, Bedsteads, Bureau, Washstands, Mattrasses, Carpeting, Matting, Cooking Stove, Kitchen Furniture, &c., &c. Sale positive and without reserve, as the family are about leaving mh 26-3t

DY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered at the September term, 1877, in the suit of T. C. Ring against The Alexandria in the suit of T. C. Ring against The Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company and others, the undersigned, commissioners therein named, will proceed on SATURDAY, the FIRST OF JUNE, 1878, at twelve o'clock m., to sell by public suction, in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the said city of Alexandria, Va., THE WHOLE OF THE ALEXANDRIA AND FREDERICKSBURG RAILWAY, extending from the southern end of the Long Bridge, in Alexandria county, Va., to Quantico, in Stafford county, in said State, together with all and singular its franchises, rights, interests, privileges, property and estate, real, personal and mixed, wheresoever situate and by whomsoever held. The rolling stock of said railway consists of Four (4) Locomotive Engines.

Two (2) Baggage Cars.
Twenty-one (21) Gondola Cars [freight]
Terms of Sale: Ten per centum of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in three equal annual payments from the day of of sale; the title to said property to be retained until the purchase money is fully paid; the purchaser not to be let into possession until the sale

R H COCKERILLE, THOS. MOORE, THOS. MOORE, Comm'rs. of Sale.

SALE OF A VALUABLE AND PRO-Pursuant to the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its November term, 1877, in the suit of Chichester vs. Chichester, the undersigned, commissioners named in gaid decree, will, on MONDAY, the 15th day of April, 1878, (Court day) at 1 o clock p. m., sell to the highest bidder, by public sale, that valuable farm called "MANTUA," whereon Major John H. Chichester at present resides, the part offered for sale embracing buildings, improvements and cultivated land; contains 550 acres; is in part heavily timbered, the soil being of excellent quality. By consent this farm may By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer, in the said city of Alexandria, in front on Washington street 22 feet, and extending east. wardly in depth 112 feet 5 inches to an alley. Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in three equal payments, at six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved personal security, and the retention of the title to the property until they are paid. RICHARD LLOYD,

Comm'rs. of Sale. mh 7-gots farm contains 46 103-1,000 acres, and is known as "EVERGREEN", is improved by a commo-dious NEW FRAME DWELLING HOUSE and out buildings; a well of excellent water in the yard; also peach and apple orchards, pears, grapes and small fruit, rendering it valuable as

from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved personal security, and retention of title to the property until the last payment is made.

H. O. CLAUGHTON, THOMAS MOORE, Comm'rs. of Sale DAY, April 15, 1878, (Court day) when the same will be made at the same place and hour.

H. O. CLAUGHTON,

THOS. MOORE,

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Comm'rs. of Salo.

By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

TRUSTEES' SALE OF THE ADAMANTINE BRICK COMPANY'S WORKS
AND PROPERTY, ALEXANDRIA CO., VA. Under the authority of a deed of trust, bearing date of December 2, 1876, made by the "The Adamantine Brick Company, an incorporated company, duly charter by an ordered of the Circuit Court for Alexandria county, Va., which deed is of record in the land records of said deed is of record in the land records of said county, the subscribers, as trustees hereby created, will sell at public auction or cash, on THURSDAY, the 25th day of April, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., at the works of said company at Waterlee station, on the Alexandria and Washington Railroad, in said county, a certain tract of land in said county, containing thirty-two (32) acres, three (3) rods and eighteen and forty-three one-hundredth (18, 43-100) perches, known as part of "Waterlee" farm, and described according to a survey and map attached to said deed, made by William Forsyth, December 1, 1876, as follows, viz:—

1876, as follows, viz:—

Beginging at the intersection of the east line of the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike road with the land of Lieutenant Hunter, and running thence east nine hundred and four (904) feet, thence north six and a quarter (64) degrees, east sixteen hundred and forty-nine and twenty nine one-hundredth (1,649.29-100) feet, thence south seventy-six and one half (761) degrees, west one hundred and four and thirty-nine one hun-dredth (104, 39-100) feet thence south eight-four TRUSTEES' SALE OF VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY, at Fairfax Court house,
Va.—In and by virtue of that certain deed of
trust from J.D. Fairfax and others, bearing date
December 1, 1860 and of record on the land records of Fairfax county, liber L. No. 4, folio 5,
the undersigned, trustee named in said deed,
will sell by public sale, before the door of the
Court House, on MONDAY, the 15th day of
the line to be located in such a manner as not in property, together with all the buildings and improvements erected on said land, and the tools. machinery and outfit used by said company in carrying on their trade and business, together with the franchises and all the privileges, rights

and property of said company.

Also said company's patent rights for the manufacture of brick in the District of Columbis and the county of Alexandria, Va., which patents and improvements were severally issued to John Caswell, April 16, 1861, numbered 32,-

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FOR RENT-The DWELLING NO. 8
N. PATRICK STREET, which has just been put in complete order. Apply to F. J. POLLARD, cor. King and Henry streets. mh 23-eolm

Apply at 276 King street.

FOR SALE.

The desirable three story pressed brick front DWELLING HOUSE, on Cameron street, between Pitt and Royal, now occupied by Mr. James Carr, will be offered at private sale until SATURDAY, March 30th, when, if not previously disposed of, it will be sold by public execution.

feb 15-cots SAMUEL H. LUNT, Trustee.

NOTICE—The sale of the steamboat MARY WASHINGTON has been postponed. The boat and wharf can be purchased at private sale by applying to P. H. TROTH, President of the Company, Accosink P. O., Fairfax co., Va.

FOR RENT-The TWO STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 125 Cameron street, now occupied by E. E. White. Possession given Feb. 1st, 1878. Apply to jan 9-tf C. C. SMOOT & SON.

FOR RENT.—The STORE ROOM on the northeast corner of King and Union street—the best location in the city for a grocery and liquor store. Apply at this office. ap 18-tf

FISH, OYSTERS, &c.

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We have this day formed a copartnership, under the firm name of GEO. E. PRICE & CO.,

Dealers in
FRESH AND SALTED FISH.
Fish received daily from the lishing shores on
the Potomac, and supplied to consumers in
quantities to suit, either fresh or salted by experienced packers. Stalls Nos. 2 and 3, City Market, and Fish House No. 1, Corporation Fish Wharf. Country orders solicited and satisfaction guar-

G. E. PRICE.
J. F. COOK.
G. A. NOWLAND.
WM. JAVINS. anteed.

mh 13-tf WILLIAM H. SMITH,

DEALER IN FRESH AND SALTED FISH.
FISH WHARF AND STALLS CITY MARKET,

would inform dealers and others that he is propared to furnish them with all kind of

POTOMAC FISH. st possible prices. I would call the attention of buyers to the fact that my brand stands No. 1 in market at all times and I intend to sustain my reputation in that respect. My stalls, Nos. 4 and 5, Fish Market, will be supplied with fresh tish every morning. They will be superintended by Mr. James G. Grimes, sr., and families can depend on getting the best, whether they come in person or send orders. Persons at a distance wanting Fresh Fish can depend on getting them packed in good order.

All orders addressed to WM. H. SMITH,

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Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention.

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GOLD, GOVERNMENT BONDS, LOCAL STOCKS, AND ALL FIRST-CLASS RAILROAD BONDS and other

good investment securities, have for sale COUPONS, ALEXANDRIA CITY and

VIRGINIA, receivable for taxes.

Any information in regard to investment cheerfully given.

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J. FERGUSON & BRO. We have opened our stock of GOODS FOR THE FALL SEASON, consisting in part of-

Ladies', Gents' and Children's Merino Underwear and Hosiery.

Dress Trimmings, in Silk and Worsted Fringes, Galloons, Buttons, &c.

Toilet Articles—Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Neck Pull, Side and High Combs, Soaps and

Perfumery.
Ladies' Collars, Cuffs, Ruchings, Rufflings,
Ties, Lace Scarfs, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs and Kid Gloves.

Worsteds, Germantown Wool, Shetland Wool and Floss, Saxony and German Knitting Yarns, in all colors, and Embroidery Canvases. HOOP SKIRTS & BUSTLES. All styles on hand and made to order at short

We have also a large stock of Hair Braids, Curls, Puffs, &c., to which we invite your at-tention. FERGUSON & BRO.,

C.M. ADAMS, Ladies' & Gents' Furn'g. Goods.

Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Scarfs, Collars and Cuile, Handkerchiefs, &c. GENTS' DEPARTMENT.

Kid Gloves, Collars and Cuffs, Hosiery, Shirts,
Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Scarfs, Ties and

NOTION DEPARTMENT.
Cotton, Pins, Needles, Thread, Buttons, Edgings, Zephyr Worsted, Shetland Wool, Germantown Wool, Saxony Yarns, &c. C. M. ADAMS, No. 92 King st.

KELLER'S ROMAN LINIMENT recently so extensively advertised, also LEAD BEATER'S LUBRICATING LINIMENT equal, and perhaps superior to the first, are for sale by

E S. LEADBEATER & BRO. SILK FRINGES—Another supply of Color kinds, of my own manufacture, at the most reasonable prices. Fresh Fruits kept constantly wear, just received, which we are offering at

JAS. FERGUSON & BRO. A NYTHING YOU MAY NEED IN THE Building line can be had at PEAKE & NALLS', cor. King and Columbus sts.

100 BBLS CHOICE EXTRA AND FAMILY FLOUR in store and for W. A. JOHNSON, mh 13 N. E. cor. Cam and Royal sts 30 BOXES HIGGINS SOAPS-German Laundry, Standard, Specie and Mettled -received this day and for sale low by

F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st. FOR CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES AT J. C. & E. MILBURN'S.

TRY HILL & CO'S. CUT ORANGE, BON BON and LINDJIN CAKES. Best tea cake ever offered to the family trade. For sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON. SMALL SUGAR CURED HAMS AND SHOULDERS received to-day for sale

very low by J. C. & E. MILBURN. SILK VELVET FRAMES, for card and cabinet size pictures, for sale by FERGUSON & BRO., 96 King street.

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NEW DRESS GOODS,

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NEW TRIMMINGS,

NEW EMBROIDERIES

NEW NECKWEAR, NEW GOODS in all Departments

At unusually attractive prices. PRINTS and DOMESTICS very cheap.

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We are receiving from New Yerk and Philadelphia a great many Staple and Fancy Dry-Goods, purchased within the last few days at very low figures, and call attention of purchasers to these goods, especially suited to the early spring sales &c. Country merchants will be sold at Baltimore

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DEALERS IN CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE, 65 King street, Alexandria, Respectfully call the attention of the trade to

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LOWEST RATES. They also have in store a large assortment of LAMPS OF ALL KINDS, including all the latest patents and designs.

A call is solicited. Orders from the country promptly filled. GEO. UHLER. DONALD MCLEAN.

McLEAN & UHLER, (Successors to A. H. Nott & Bro.,) HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS, CUTLERY,
PLATED, PLANISHED, STAMPED,
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New lot of Bill Heads, Note and Letter Heads, Cap Paper, Flat Letter, Flat Cap and Folio Post, all weights, very low.

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Bright Scarlet and American Carmine and Violet Inks. Printing and Book Paper, Tissue Paper of all colors, Paste Boards, Manilla Paper, Checks, Notes and Drafts, in books of a hundred up to one thousand; Manifold Paper, Parchment Tissue Copying Paper, China Cards, Printers' Blanks and Bristol Cards for printer's use, Shipping Cards and Tags of all sizes, Copying Books, Shipman's Adhesive Files, Inkstands in great variety, Indelible Pencils and Ink, Bristo Board of all sizes, Congress Tie Envelopes Rogers' Erasers, Arm Rests and all sorts of

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Time and space fail to continue the enumeration in this department. This stock has been bought at the lowest price for cash, and will be sold upon the very lowest terms. [feb 14] GEO. E. FRENCH. [feb 14]

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CORKS-Bottle Corks; also Corks for Oyster Cans, &c., of all sizes, with CEMENT for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO nov 29 ANDERSON'S MINCE MEAT—the best made, for sale low by F. J. DAVIDSON,

147 King street.

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MEDICINAL.

EGETIN FOR CHILLS, SHAKES, FEVER

AND AGUE. TARBORO, N. C., 1878.

Dr. R. H. Slevens:

Dear Sir—I feel very grateful for what your valuable midicine, Vegetine, have done in my family. I wish to express my thanks by informing you of the wonderful cure of my son; also, to let you know that Vegetine is the best medicine I ever saw for Chills, Shakes, Fever and Ague. My son was sick with measles in 1873, which left him with Hip-joint disease. My son suffered a great deal of pain, all of the time; the pain was so great he did nothing but cry. The doctors did not help him a particle, he could not lift his foot from the floor, he could not move without crutches. I read your advertisement in the Louisville Courier-Journal, that Vegetine was a great Blood Purifier and Blood Food. I tried one bottle, which was a great benefit. He was a great Blood Purifier and Blood Food. I tried one bottle, which was a great benefit. He kept on with the medicine, gradually gaining. He has taken eighteen bottles in all, and he is completely restored to health, walks without crutches or cane. He is twenty years of age. I have a younger son, fifteen years of age, who is subject to Chills. Whenever he feels one coming on, he comes in, takes a dose of Vegetine and that is the last of the Chill. Vegetine leaves no bad effect upon the system like most of the medicine recommended for Chills. I cheerfully recommend Vegetine for such complaints. I recommend Vegetine for such complaints. I

recommend Vegetine for such complaints. I think it is the greatest medicine in the world.

Respectfully Mrs. J. W. LLOYD.

VEGETINE.—When the blood becomes lifeless and stagnant, either from change of weather or of climate, want of exercise, irregular diet, or from any other cause, the Vegetine will renew the blood, carry off the putrid humors, cleanse the stomach, regulate the bowels, and impart a tone of vigor to the whole body.

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We, the undersigned, having used Vegetine, take pleasure in recommending it to all those troubled with Humors of any kind, Dyspepsia, Nervousness, or General Debility, it being the great Blood Purifier. Sold by R. L. Crowell & Sons, who sell more of it than all other patent medicine put together. medicine put together.

Mrs. L. F. PERKINS, Mrs. H. W. SCOTT, JOSEPHUS SLATE. VEGETINE is the great health restorer—composed exclusively of barks, roots and herbs. It is very pleasant to take; every child likes it.

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VEGETINE

H. R. Stevens, esq.

Dear Sir-I have used your Vegetine for top and unless something is done soon to pretop and unless something is done soon to preservous Headache, and also for Rheumatism, and
Nervous Headache, and also for Rheumatism, and
servo it, the Casa Grand will be only a thing have found entire relief from both, and take great pleasure in recommending it to all who may be

likewise afflicted. FRED. A. GOOD, 108 Mill st., Cinn. VEGETINE has restored thousands to health

who had been long and painful sufferers. VEGETIN DRUGGISTS' TESTIMONY.

Mr. H. R. Stevens : Dear Sir-We have been selling your remedy the Vegetine, for about three years, and take pleasure in recommending it to our customers, and in no instance where a blood purifier would reach the case, has it ever failed to effect a cure,

to our knowledge. It certainly is the ne plus ultra of renovators. Respectfully,
E. M. SHEPHERD & CO., Druggists,
Mount Vernon, Ill. Is acknowledged by all classes of people to be the best and most reliable blood purifier in the

VEGETINE Prepared by H. R. STEVENS, Boston, Mass.

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HAIR, COTTON TOP
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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. Having fitted up our factory with the lates and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at he very lowes rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING, MOULDING PLANING and CARVING in our line. Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture, Wal-nut, Popular, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar

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GARDEN SEEDS We have received our first supply of LAND RETH'S GARDEN SEEDS for the spring of 1878, and will be pleased to furnish our friends and the public. Catalogues can be had upon application. E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO feb 19 LIME, CEMENT, PLASTER, Sand, Felt and Pitch, for sale by PEAKE & NALLS,

cor. King and Columbus sts.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, MARCH 27.

The Casa Grande.

Within twelves miles of Florence is situated one of the oldest ruins in the United States. According to historical records this ruin was first visited by explorers nearly 340 years ago. From 1540 to 1770 several adventurers visited this section of the Gila Valley, each giving partial and disjointed accounts of this wonderful ruin. Col. R. J. Hinton in his new book ou Arizona devotes several pages to this interest. ing ruin. He describes the Casa Grande (large house) in detail and gives some graphic quotations from the accounts written by early explorers. One is an extract from the travels of Father Pedro Font, who visited the Casa Grande in 1775. Father Font quaintly says:
"The large house or palace of Montezuma, according to the histories and meager accounts which we have from the Indians, may have been built some 500 years ago; for, as it appears, this building was erected by the Mexicans, when, during their transmigration, the Devil led them through various countries until they arrived at the promised land of Mexico; and in their sojourns, which were long, they formed towns, and built edifices. The land for a league distant surrounding this house is par tially covered with pieces of pots, jars, plates, VEGETINE
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BYPEN TO BE TO THE STATE COLORS, white, blue, red, &c., which is a sign that this has been a large town, inhabited by a distinct people from the Pimas of the Gila, who do not know how to manufacture. &c., -some common and others painted of difsquare facing exactly to the four cardinal points-east, west, north and south; and round about it there are ruins indicating a fence or wall which surrounded the house and other buildings; particularly in the corners where it appears there has been some edifice like an interior eastle or watch tower. The exterior walls extend from north to south 420 feet, and from east to west 260 feet. The interior of the house consists of five halls, the three middle ones being of one size and the extreme ones longer. The three middle ones are 26 feet in length and 10 feet in breadth. The two extreme ones are 38 feet long and 12 feet wide."

This old ruin is of course much reduced by the action of wind and rain during the long years it has been standing. The walls are being undermined below and worn away at the

of record. Colonel Charles D. Poston of the Florence Land Office has addressed a letter to General Wilcox, Commanding the Department of Arizona, suggesting to him the propriety of taking this ruin under military supervision .-Col. Poston suggests that inasmuch as the Casa Grande is on a section of reserved government land, Gen. Wilcox could very properly resolve it into a picket post and repair the ruin so as to afford quarters for an officer and a few men. The men stationed here could be utilized as couriers and a ready force to

pursue mail robbers, &c. Whatever view Gen. Wilcox may take of this matter, we trust some steps will be taken to preserve this famous and interesting monument of the greatness of other days .- Arezona

Citizen. HYMENIAL .- It is announced that ex Gov. Swann, who represents the Fourth Maryland district, will shortly lead to the altar Mrs. John R. Thompson, of Princeton. Governor Swann has broken rapidly within the past few years; his hair and moustache are now white, his step is unsteady, and his voice is not audible ten feet off in the House. It is difficult to say definitely what his age is; the Congressional Directory is ominously silent on this point. Hardly anybody, however, remembers when the Governor was not a figure in Maryland politics .--As far back as 1836 he was a Director of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company. He must be somewhere in the neighborhood of seventy. He maintains an elegant establishment here, at which he dispenses a liberal hos pitality. Whether the Governor is at home or not, it is all the same. In his absence the old butler invites the caller in "to partake of the Governor's hospitality," and he sets out the best vintages without stint. Governor Swann will be able to surround his new bride with the comforts of life, and it may be, some of its luxuries. The furniture alone, of his Washington house, is said to have cost \$60,000. He has also a very comfortable home in Baltimore .-

Wash. Cor. Phila. North American. SPROUTED POTATOES .- Your correspondent inquires if potatoes with the sprouts broken off will do for seed. They will; and the sprouts will be renewed. But in producing sprouts the potato is partly exhausted, and the plants will not be so strong as if they had never sprouted at all; for the same reason that the plants from small potatoes are not so strong as those from large ones. If your correspondent will plant alternate rows with tubers that have had the sprouts broken off and with seed that has been kept cool and not sprouted, he will find the latter to yield the most potatoes, if he will measure the product of each. If he guesses at the amount he will not perceive much difference. The best way to manage sprouted potatoes is to preserve the sprouts on them. Carry the potatoes carefully into the field just as they are, without pulling the mass apart, and as carefully take out each potato, without at all touching the delicate shoot, and plant it either with or without cutting, and cover carefully; the crop will be both earlier and larger .-Country Gentleman.

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